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Senior Property Tax Work Off Program for FY 2021

The Program

The Town of Arlington offers seniors the opportunity to apply for the Senior Property Tax Work-Off Program to receive up to \$1,500 property tax relief benefit by helping a municipal department. The benefit is applied to the property tax bill when the hours are completed. Seniors have the opportunity to volunteer 125 hours to get a \$1,500 property tax relief benefit. Due to the COVID 19 pandemic, volunteer assignments will be conducted remotely, virtually, or in a socially distant manor.

Eligibility and Guidelines

- Income guidelines: up to \$58,000 Single, up to \$88,000 Married Filing Jointly, up to \$73,000 Head of Household
- Applicant must be age 60 or older and an Arlington homeowner, <u>living in the home</u>.
- Abatement up to \$1,500 annually per Senior, work up to 125 hours
- One year residency in Arlington requirement
- Applicant name must be on the deed
- W-4 and CORI (Criminal Offender Record Information) forms are part of the application (a copy of a picture ID is required for the CORI)

Additional Information and Applications

The Senior Property Tax Work-Off Program is administered by the Council on Aging in conjunction with the Assessor, Treasurer, and Human Resources. All applicants must adhere to town policies and a packet will be provided to each accepted applicant.